## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA SHREVEPORT DIVISION

| PATRICIA G. WILLIAMS   | §                                      |
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| Plaintiff,             | <b>§ CIVIL ACTION NO. 5:16-CV-1615</b> |
|                        | §                                      |
| <b>v.</b>              | <b>§</b>                               |
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| BIOMEDICAL RESEARCH    | § JUDGE S. MAURICE HICKS               |
| FOUNDATION HOSPITAL    | §                                      |
| HOLDINGS, LLC, ET AL., | § JURY TRIAL DEMANDED                  |
| Defendants.            | §                                      |

## **NOTICE OF APPEAL OF SANCTIONS**

Pursuant of Rule 4 of the Federal Rules of Appellate Procedure, notice is hereby given that Plaintiff, Patricia Williams, hereby appeals to the United States Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit from a Minute Entry dated January 3, 2022, from a pretrial conference on September 21, 2021, where the court *sua sponte* imposed sanctions against Plaintiff's counsel, Victoria Plante-Northington. Final Judgment was entered on January 6, 2022.

## Respectfully submitted,

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing instrument was delivered to all counsel of record via the CM/ECF system on this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of February 2022.

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